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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed January 8, 2003, in the above referenced application.

Please amend the application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 8 and 11 to read as follows:

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8. (Amended) A laminated film according to claim 7, wherein said gas-barrier resin layer (C) is formed of polyamide, ethylene-vinyl acetate copolymer saponification product, polyethylene terephthalate, polyethylene naphthalate or polycarbonate.

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11. (Amended) A laminated film according to claim 10, wherein said adhesive resin layer has a thickness of 2 to 30 μm .